

# **About PMAT**

### **PMAT Course:**

The PMAT Course trains providers in child day programs, who do not ordinarily administer medications but who supervise children (e.g., bus drivers), to administer an emergency injection of epinephrine using an auto-injector device (EpiPen) and/or to apply prescription topical ointment or cream (e.g., diaper ointment). The PMAT class can be completed in 2 hours. Class size is limited to 25 participants.

#### Who Should Attend?

Providers or staff members who do NOT ordinarily administer medication but who supervise children who may need to administer an emergency injection of epinephrine using an auto-injector device (EpiPen) and/or providers or staff members who supervise children who may need the application of prescription topical ointments or creams.

### **PMAT Course Requirements:**

To attend the PMAT course a child care provider or employee of the program must be:

- at least 18 years old,
- literate (able to read and write) in English,
- have current certification in first aid, and
- have current certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).

#### Renewal:

The training certificate for the PMAT course expires after three (3) years. There is no renewal of the PMAT certificate. The PMAT course must be attended at three year intervals.

### For More Information about the MAT Program:

Visit the MAT Web page at: http://www.medhomeplus.org/MAT/index.php.

## **Questions about MAT:**

If you have a licensing-related question about MAT, MAT IS, PMAT or any other topic, or a question about implementing information learned in the MAT, MAT IS or PMAT class in your facility/home, please contact your licensing representative. **MAT teaches best practice**, which might differ from what is required or expected by your program regulation, guidelines, and/or policies and procedures.

If you have a question about MAT training, including the MAT curriculum content, MAT procedures/processes, MAT, MAT IS or PMAT classes, MAT recertification, MAT/PMAT training certificates, *approved* MAT trainers, etc., <u>please contact Medical Home Plus (MHP)</u> at: MAT@medhomeplus.org, or call Toll Free at: (877) 264-8366.